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 Term Expires: November 11, 2007

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**Legal Practice:** Officer and Shareholder, Devine, Millimet & Branch, P.A. (1970-1993)

**Military Service:** United States Navy (1963-1967)

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**Enrique S. Lamoutte**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Boston Col 1969 BA; Puerto Rico 1976 JD  
 Began Service: November 1986  
 Term Expires: November 6, 2014

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Puerto Rico

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico (1977-1979)

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Enrique S. Lamoutte** *continued*

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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Connecticut 1971 BA; Catholic U 1974 JD  
 Began Service: April 3, 2001  
 Term Expires: 2015

**Affiliation:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maine

**Judicial:** Appellate Judge, Penobscot Indian Nation (1981-2001)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Goodman, Goodman & Kornreich (1975-1982); Partner, Gross, Minsky, Mogul & Singal (1982-2001)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve (1974-1975)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; Maine State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Penobscot County Bar Association

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**Arthur N. Votolato**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Rhode Island 1953 BA; Boston U 1956 LLB  
 Began Service: June 25, 1968  
 Term Expires: May 24, 2013

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Rhode Island

**Government:** Chief Special Counsel, Department of Public Works, State of Rhode Island (1962-1968)

**Judicial:** Chief Judge, Member, First Circuit Bankruptcy Appellate Panel (1980-1983)

**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Arthur N. Votolato** *continued*

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Votolato & Votolato (1956-1962)

**Military Service:** United States Marine Corps Reserve (1949-1950); United States Air Force (1950-1951)

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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
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 Began Service: 1986  
 Term Expires: 2014

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Puerto Rico

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Jose V. Toledo, United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico; Law Clerk The Honorable Gilberto Gierbolini, United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico (1974-1976)

**Government:** Administrative Law Judge, Social Security Administration, United States Department of Health and Human Services

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Jiménez & Fuste; Partner, Brown, Newsom & Cordova

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**James B. Haines, Jr.**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Washington State 1970 BA; Willamette 1977 JD  
 Began Service: 1990  
 Term Expires: August 2018

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maine

**Academic:** Associate Professor of Law, University of West Virginia (1980-1983)

**Clerkships:** Judicial Law Clerk The Honorable Eugene A. Wright, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit (1977-1978)

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**Legal Practice:** Associate, Davis, Wright, Todd, Riese & Jones; Hewes, Culley & Beals (1983-1986); Partner, Black, Lambert, Coffin & Haines (1986-1990)

**Military Service:** United States Coast Guard (1970-1974)

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**William C. Hillman**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
 Education: Boston U 1957 JD, 1968 LLM  
 Began Service: August 13, 1991  
 Term Expires: August 2019

**Affiliation:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Strauss, Factor, Hillman & Lopes (1957-1991)

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**Joan N. Feeney**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education: Connecticut Col 1975 BA; Suffolk 1978 JD  
 Began Service: 1992  
 Term Expires: 2006

**Affiliation:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Massachusetts

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable James N. Garbriel, United States Bankruptcy Court (1982-1986)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Feeney & Freeley (1979-1982); Associate, Hanify & King (1986-1988); Partner, Hanify & King, Professional Corporation (1988-1992)

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